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DAILY WEATHER REPORT

Snow late tonight and Wed., probably becoming heavy Wed. morning. Colder Wed., Thurs., and Friday.

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KAI-SHEK GROUP PLANS TO RENEW ITS RESISTANCE

Carving Out New Republic Far In The Interior of China

FAR UP THE YANGTZE

Government of Vitality Moves Forward in Temporary Buildings

(Editor's Note: How China's defenders are emulating American pioneer methods in carving out a new republic far in the interior is described today in the second of a series of six articles by James R. Young, International News Service manager in Tokyo, cabled to New York prior to his detention by Japanese authorities.)

By James R. Young

I. N. S. Staff Correspondent
On the site of the old kingdom of Pah, 1,400 miles up the Yangtze River in China, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek and his associates are laying plans today for renewed resistance against Japanese invaders in their 30th month of hostilities.

The place is Chungking, newest of creative government centers in the Far East resulting from the merciless undeclared war, now Chiang's capital and a beehive of activity.

Blessed with a protective fog and mist, and provided by nature with the best dugouts of any world capital, this seemingly characterless city of nearly half a million busy people was a revelation to me on a recent visit. It afforded an amazing contrast to dull Tokyo and the latter's burdened, bureaucratic methods.

Chungking in western China seems to re-enact Dodge City days and the opening of the Union Pacific in the United States.

Inside temporary buildings and jammed-up old three-story houses, a government of vitality, headed by many men new in government but efficient in business, moves quicker than any similar official bodies in Hsin-kang, the capital of Manchukuo, or in Japanese-occupied Nanking, where weeds and grass grow where traffic once stirred dust.

Chungking, the most moral and best behaved world capital, is reached by roads or by airline, or by infrequent boat operations. Travel goes downriver to Ichang, where still the Chinese hold out. They will always hold out from Chungking. The city's half thousand dugouts, bored into solid Manhattan-like rock, are practically impregnable. No enemy planes can find this city except for a few days in the year. A perpetual fog blankets the city at a low ceiling.

Backed into what the Japanese like to call the last corner of Szechuan Province, the Chinese Government is carrying a remarkable development of previously untouched natural resources. Two years and five months after the Japanese invasion of China, the Chinese have found an entirely

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Nursing Service Benefits, Morrisville Card Party

MORRISVILLE, Jan. 23.—The Nursing Service of Morrisville Borough is to benefit through the card party conducted at the home of Mrs. William Burgess, Jr., last week. Aiding Mrs. Burgess as co-hostesses were: Mrs. F. P. Hogeland, Mrs. Frank C. Pyron and Mrs. Richard D. Johnston.

Those at the party were: Mrs. Floyd S. Platt, Mrs. C. R. Chase, Mrs. Kenneth E. Burgess, Mrs. Thomas B. Stockham, Sr., Mrs. George W. Balderson, Mrs. F. G. Cart, Mrs. James M. Klenk, Mrs. Adolph Harvitt, Mrs. Ivins, Mrs. Karl King, Mrs. C. F. Watts, Mrs. Harry Woolsey, Mrs. Edmund Lovett, Mrs. E. S. Lea, Miss Rachel Carver, Miss Bechtel and Miss M. B. Sanford.

Mrs. Kenneth E. Burgess, chairman of the card party committee, announces the next party will be held on February 21st at the home of Mrs. F. G. Cart, Jr., 745 North Pennsylvania Avenue.

Miss Ruth Bailey Has A Pleasant Birthday Party

Miss Ruth Bailey, daughter of Mrs. Clara Bailey, 339 Jackson street, was hostess Saturday evening to a number of friends in honor of her 14th birthday anniversary. The evening was spent playing games, dancing and singing. Refreshments were served, the dining room being decorated in pink and blue. Miss Bailey received many gifts.

Those attending: the Misses Marie Solt, Bernice White, Bella Traas, Marie Barr, Betty Lebo, Lillian Keers, Ruth Campbell, Jean Brooks, Emily Markel, Shirley Stoneback, Gloria Greco, Betty Lynch, Caroline Nocito, Vivian Fenton; Messrs. Leo Johnson, Albert Wiberly, Calvin Solla, Jr., Harry Drumm, Fred Weil, William Henderson, Roy Bailey, Jr., Lawrence Houser; Mrs. Clara Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry White, Sr., Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Coyne and daughter, Helene and Patricia, Croydon.

Doylestown Doctors Ask Patients To Aid Them

DOYLESTOWN, Jan. 23—Doylestown physicians through the press have appealed to the public to aid them during the epidemic of colds, influenza and other illnesses. It is stated that many are ill in this borough as well as in the territory adjacent.

The physicians ask the people not to wait until the afternoon or night to call a doctor. They state that they plan their day's calls ahead of time and better service can be rendered by the doctor and to the patient if people will use a little more common sense. Often, a doctor, with as many as 50 calls to make in one day, has to retrace his steps five or eight miles just because some patient waited until the last minute to call the doctor.

REMOVE 385 PATIENTS IN CROYDON AMBULANCES

Report For Year 1939 Shows Total of 16,500 Miles Were Traversed.

313 OTHERS TREATED

CROYDON, Jan. 23.—The two ambulances of Bucks County Rescue Squad, which are garaged here, were used to transport 383 patients during the year 1939, the number averaging one plus per day for the 12-month period.

In addition, 313 persons were treated at various races, picnics, etc., while in the course of duty the ambulances traversed a total of 16,500 miles.

In order to carry out this humanitarian endeavor, 64 men who are members of the squad, 35 women who are affiliated with the Auxiliary, and the 30 juniors between the ages of 12 and 15 years, combined their efforts.

The active members, who spend much time at the squad headquarters, and the ambulance, total 23.

The majority of the cases were taken to Abington Hospital, although the squad took patients to practically every hospital in Philadelphia; to Trenton hospitals; Doylestown Emergency; to Bristol's two hospitals, to Easton and Hamburg.

Much Concern Felt Over Ice Jam In State

HARRISBURG, Jan. 23.—(INS)—Pennsylvania's ice-jammed rivers were a source of serious concern to state and county authorities today.

Engineers in the employ of the Commonwealth admitted that there was nothing that could be done immediately to relieve danger from ice congestion.

State Secretary of Forests and Waters G. Albert Stewart conferred with Charles E. Ryder, the Department's chief flood control authority, relative to the threat of floods in event of sudden thaw or rains.

Reports about ice-jammed streams were coming in from all sections of the state, adding to the officials' worry. Use of dynamite to blast through the more serious jams was considered.

"We doubt whether the blasting will do much good this year," explained Ryder. "The cold wave struck quickly at a time when the rivers were singularly low, with the result that most of them are frozen right down to the stream bed."

"Blasting does little or no good when there is no water running beneath the ice to carry the particles away."

Secretary Stewart reported that the rivers he encountered on a motor ride from Clearfield to Harrisburg were choked with ice. "There were no signs of a thaw anywhere," he added.

The ice jam situation may become more critical, it was admitted, in view of the prospect that prevailing near-zero temperatures will continue through this week.

Urge Attendance At Business Men's Banquet

Marty Green, newly-elected president of the Mill Street Business Men's Association, states that he would like every merchant, professional man and property owner on Mill street to attend the annual dinner to be held tomorrow evening.

"Each man who has any investment on the street, be it stock on the shelf, real estate, or tools, should realize the necessity of belonging to this association."

"The main reason for an association of this kind is not only to draw customers into the stores, that is incidental; but, to assist in building up their section in every way, thereby enhancing the values of the investments of its members."

"This reaches out to a far greater scope of work, and therefore, I hope," said Mr. Green, "that the association will receive the co-operation of those people, who heretofore have felt themselves to be ineligible for membership."

Tickets for the affair may be had from Edward Wallace, chairman of the entertainment committee. A dinner, professional entertainment, and a prominent speaker who "will hold you spellbound," is promised by Mr. Wallace.

If you have a house to rent, advertise it in the Courier.

LATEST NEWS Received by International New Service Leased Wires.

"Pawn-Brokers Law" Constitutional

HARRISBURG, Jan. 23.—Climaxing a two year court battle, Pennsylvania's 1937 pawn broker's law regulating interest rates allowed loan establishments was held constitutional today by Dauphin County court.

In a formal opinion, specially presiding Judge Charles C. Greer, of Cambria County, upheld validity of the statute passed during the Earle administration.

Injunctions halted operation of the law in October 1937.

Non-Discrimination Claimed By Britain

LONDON, Jan. 23—Great Britain today rejected the contention of Secretary of State Hull that American ships are being discriminated against at Gibraltar and elsewhere in the Mediterranean and blamed lack of "co-operation" by the United States for the situation which resulted in a new protest from Washington.

In answer to Hull's demand that Britain modify its treatment of American ships and cargoes, authoritative British circles placed responsibility for delays encountered by American shipping upon the orders of the United States.

Editor's Note: An International News Service dispatch from Washington disclosed that the United States is prepared to make substantial indemnity for losses resulting in British interference with American shipping.

"There is no discrimination between American and Italian vessels by the Gibraltar contraband control," a spokesman said. "If the Italians are getting faster inspection, it is because of their willingness to co-operate."

The tentative budget is open for public inspection at the office of the borough secretary until its presentation for final adoption by Council next month.

Estimated expenditures in the chief borough departments, still subject to change, were given Monday night as follows: Building, \$2,000; finance, \$8,700; police, \$8,000; fire, \$5,600; health, \$700; garbage collection, \$175; sewer, \$10,012; highway, \$33,000.

The fire committee's proposed figures includes the purchase of much-needed equipment for the fire department. In his report to Council Chief Granville Cressman had recommended the purchase of a hook and ladder truck, but this is too big an item for Council to include in this year's budget.

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NO TIME FOR GUESSING

Someone has said that Hitler's policy is to keep everybody guessing. That is one explanation of the rumors of an impending German offensive through the low countries and of the scoffing denial issued from Berlin. Just war nerves, the Nazis said.

Since it was impossible to determine which was true, the only thing to do was to give up guessing and act as if an attack were about to be made. Belgium and Holland did just that. "Phase D" of the Belgian national defense system was authorized—which is just short of complete mobilization. Holland cancelled all leaves and was ready for the worst. Between them the two little countries have about a million men under arms.

Although the danger is not over, fears are lessening. The Dutch and Belgians may be reluctant to take Hitler's word for anything, but they take note of the fact that the Nazi press has not begun a campaign against them. Previous aggressions made by Hitler have been preceded by charges of minority persecution. Nevertheless, in the case of a campaign which would be part of larger surprise offensive, the Fuehrer might not tip off his hand so conveniently.

One curious feature of the rumor that Hitler was concentrating troops along the Belgian and Dutch borders in preparation for a drive to flank the Allies is the report that the warning came by way of Italy. Again it is impossible for outsiders to know the truth, though one may be allowed the surmise that the royal tie between Italy and Belgium is not so much responsible for Mussolini's warning, if any, as increasing Italian resentment toward the axis ally.

Russia's attack on Finland has driven another wedge between Italy and Germany; and if Hitler should send his generals and engineers to the aid of Stalin, any further pretense of friendship between Rome and Berlin would be impossible.

The possibility of a German drive through the low countries does fit in with the apparent assumption that a major offensive of some sort is nearer than had been anticipated. Increase of reconnaissance flights by both Germany and the Allies suggests that the Nazis may not wait until spring to begin their blitzkrieg. Each side is charting the other's territory, finding out the vulnerable spots for bombing raids, marking bridges and munitions dumps, railway terminals and aircraft batteries.

It may be that Hitler is trying to bluff England out of giving help to the Finns—but what a tragic thing it would be if that interpretation were accepted and a few days later came the blitzkrieg.

In many a hard-pressed state, a crisis is gathering in the tax situation where it may be advisable to take the turnip's red corpuscle count.

Another optical illusion is calling it the first hat in the Presidential ring when it's been there since '36.

It's hard to know which to believe—the standard books on zoology, or cartoonists who give the Russian bear 30 front teeth.

A Berlin dispatch says, "To have interned the Graf Spee would have meant that she might have deteriorated badly." And rather than take a chance on that, they sank her.

NEWS BRIEFS FROM SUBURBAN TOWNS**NEWPORTVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dixon, Mt. Holly, N. J., spent the weekend at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bessinger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schuck and children, Adelaide and Joseph, and Mr. and Mrs. W. Taylor and children, Jean and William, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cotshott.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dewees entertained the B. D. D. E. Bridge Club on Saturday evening.

The Junior Fellowship of Newportville Church met in the church basement. Thursday evening for the monthly meeting. Those present were: Janet, Marion and Ruth Mattocks, Betty Conklin, Louisa Kohler, Anna White, Jane Wimmersberger, Charlotte Frederick, Alice Backhouse, Frank Becker, Frank Everett, Mary Lawyer, Mrs. Backhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Kohler.

WEST BRISTOL

A visit was paid on Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lombardo and

children to Mrs. Lombardo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blando, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Thomas Davis, Mayfair, paid a visit yesterday to Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bessinger.

George Bittner, of Maple Shade, is a patient in the Graduate Hospital, Philadelphia.

The Ladies' Aid Society will conduct a covered dish social on Thursday evening, following the business meeting in Newport Road Community Chapel.

The Rev. William McIlheny, Germantown, pastor of the Community Chapel, here, has been ill for the past two weeks.

Illness has confined Mrs. Harry Wagner to her home for the past several days.

Miss Alice Headley, Buck Hill Inn, is spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Headley.

Miss Miriam Scudder has returned

home after spending some time with Mrs. Samuel Woody, Tyron, N. C., and Mrs. Peter Knox, Thomas, Ga.

Mrs. Anna Wise is visiting relatives in Texas.

FALLSINGTON

A variety party will be held in community hall, Fallsington, on January 26th, by Falls Township Fire Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grove are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter. Mrs. Grove was formerly Miss Rose Ward.

The W. C. T. U. held an all-day quilting and covered dish luncheon at the home of the president, Mrs. Frank C. Hartman, Thursday.

Mrs. Irvin Wright was an overnight guest, Thursday, of Miss Gertrude Anderson, Trenton, N. J.

Miss Ida Hatcher, Atlantic City, N. J., has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watson.

Gillette Vandegrift and Miss Mary Cook, Nyack, N. Y., spent the weekend with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vandegrift.

George W. Wright has been ill for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Hill, Bordentown, N. J., were Sunday visitors of Elmer Minster.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Haggard, Philadelphia, were recent visitors of Mrs. Carrie Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Angelo Milanese and son Alexander, Philadelphia, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Liberatore.

Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Tischer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mathias Tischer, Wilmington, Del.

TULLYTOWN

Elmer Minster has been confined to his home for the past few days with illness.

Robert Belmont, Woodside; and Mrs. Stanley Flow, Trenton, N. J., were visitors of Mrs. Elsie Walters, Saturday.

"SELF MADE GIRL" by HAZEL LIVINGSTON**SYNOPSIS**

Linda Perry, youngest of the five poverty-stricken Perrys, lives with her family in a small frame house in the country near Philadelphia. As the youngest and prettiest, Linda is spoiled by the old French grandmother whom she adores, and by her older brothers and sisters. She has no idea of social distinctions and the heartaches that will inevitably be hers when she and her socially prominent friends grow up.

The first blow falls when ambitious Mrs. Wagner succeeds in breaking the friendship of her daughter, Ruth, and Linda. Then Constance Scott, Linda's dearest friend, is sent away to private school. At fifteen Linda knows what loneliness means. But Connie is loyal and, during the summer vacation, makes plans which include Linda. At a country club dance, Linda and tall, dark-eyed Glenn McAllister are attracted to each other. They, Connie and Glenn's brother, Everett, are together constantly until the boys return to school. Then Mrs. Scott takes Constance to school in France. People whisper that the Scotts are separating. Linda returns to her humdrum existence of school, housework, and listening to her brothers, Bert and Lawrie, argue. Then one day her sister, Claudine, goes to the hospital and the latter's children stay with the Perrys.

CHAPTER VI

Next day came the news of the new baby, a girl, to be named Patricia Anne, and Claudine was going to be all right, only she was a little disappointed, because they'd planned on boy.

"After Junior, I shouldn't think she'd want to LOOK at another boy," Linda cried crossly, and her father said, "What's the MATTER with this house? Isn't there any peace in it anymore?" And Linda cried, "No!" and burst into tears and ran up to her room and locked the door.

She thought that nothing more could happen, that once they had got rid of Junior and the babies, and her mother came back, and Lawrie got all his things back and didn't come in every half hour to get something else and fight with Bert, they'd have peace again, and everything would run smoothly, as it used to.

But she was wrong.

Next morning, when Bert came down early for his breakfast, the kitchen was empty, no breakfast prepared. He thought that Grandma had overslept, and went downstairs to call her. Linda heard him, and slipped out of bed. "Let her sleep, Bert, she hasn't looked too well. I'll get breakfast. It won't take me a minute to dress!"

When she came into the hall, in her hasty slippers on gingham, a scant five minutes later, Bert was still standing outside Grandma's door.

His dark, habitually expressionless face, was twisted with emotion. He jerked a thumb back at the closed door. "She won't ever wake up any more," he said in a voice that he tried to make gentle, but was harsh and loud. "She's dead."

Linda looked at him stupidly. Grandma Pologne dead! It couldn't be! Nobody you knew died! She hadn't, for one minute, thought that Claudine might die, when they were so worried about her. She knew all the time that Claudine would get well—she'd have to get well. And now Grandma.

"In her sleep," Bert said. "I suppose it's what she'd have wanted. We all have to die sometime, and she was pretty old. Gee, it doesn't seem possible, though... Grandma Pologne—dead!"

Linda turned from her, her blank, uncomprehending face suddenly drenched in tears. Her knees weakened and she half slipped, half slid to the floor. Hiding her face in her hands, she wept wildly.

Bert put his arms around her awkwardly. He tried to lift her up, but she resisted stubbornly, her sobs coming louder and louder.

"Oh, Linda—please! Listen, Linda! Grandma had a good life, I mean, she had a pretty good life, and for an old person like that to just die in their sleep, why that's the kindest thing can happen, really. Listen!—Linda, she wouldn't want you to carry on like that!"

"You don't understand," she said thickly, through the tears that strangled her. "I don't care, I don't want her to die. I—I was going to do things for her—help her! And now I can't... And if she can die, then ANYTHING can happen—ANYTHING!"

"Anything can happen," Linda said, when Grandma Pologne died, but she didn't expect more trouble, really. It seemed enough to have Glenn away, to be poor, and to be worried about mama, and to know that Lawrie had walked out on them, for the sake of a round-faced girl with pretty hair.

If he had to marry someone why couldn't it be someone worth while? A big stupid, like Della! Oh, she was all right, of course, but why couldn't

know just what happened, whether the girl broke the engagement or what, but he's never looked at a girl since. And he NEEDS someone. He has no real interest in his work like I have. He NEEDS someone!"

Linda looked at her sister curiously. Bert needed someone. That was pretty obvious. But that look in Blanche's thin little face... did it mean that she needed someone, too? That everyone needed someone?

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PARTIES

SOCIAL EVENTS

ACTIVITIES

Gilberts Entertain Civic Club With Variety Program

The Yardley Civic Club held its social meeting in the club rooms with Mrs. John B. Force presiding, and Mrs. Fred G. Satterthwaite giving a book review on "American Doctor's Oddesseys," by Victor Heiser.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell Gilbert Buckingham, gave a program of variety and songs. Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert, accompanied by Mrs. Helen Cook, opened their program by singing, "I'm So Glad Trouble Don't Last Always," and Mrs. Gilbert rendered "From the Land of Sky Blue Waters" and "Who Will Buy My Lavender?" Mr. Gilbert chose as his selection, "Hungarian Folk Song," "Had A Horse" and "Little Boy Blue."

Mr. Gilbert gave "Eleven Ages of Man" and a number of other readings. Mrs. Gilbert sang "Snow Fairies," "A Birthday," and Mr. Gilbert offered "Fiddler's Creek," "A Trip To The Bank" and "Mother of Mine." The Gilberts closed the program with "When I Grow Too Old To Dream."

Mrs. D. Taylor Ivins was hostess of the afternoon, assisted by Mrs. Charles Ewing, Mrs. Dorothy Steinman, Mrs. Nelson Dilphane, Mrs. Walter L. Dilphane, Mrs. William Y. Coulton, Mrs. Eugene Kelly.

The February 1st meeting of the Civic Club will include a book review, business, and "Living Newspaper of Pennsylvania" by Mrs. George G. Bennett. Mrs. A. A. Danzer, and Mrs. Vaughn S. Grundy.

In a Personal Way

INTERESTING bits of news mainly about people you know. A chronicle of the activities of the people of Bristol; their goings and comings.

Mrs. Andrew Moore, 342 Monroe street, who has been ill the past week with grippe, is recuperating.

Mrs. Martha Vanzant, 233 Wood street, has been ill for two weeks.

Thomas Profy, Mill street, spent two days last week in Schenectady, N. Y.

Miss Julia McFadden, Jefferson avenue, and Mrs. Margaret Murphy, 630 Beaver street, both members of the

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Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Schumacher, Newport Road, were Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and son, Philadelphia.

Mrs. John Bingham, Wissinoming, visited relatives and friends in town the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hendricks are moving from 309 to 407 Radcliffe street.

Leonard Rafferty, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rafferty, Bath St. left on Saturday for Rock Island, Ill., where he will take a course with the Bear Engineering Company.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hughes, Swain street, were guests over the weekend of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes, Mayfair.

Mrs. Edward Gaffney, West Circle, is confined to the house, after a tonsil operation performed Thursday at the office of Dr. John Steele.

BACK TO TRENTON

Miss Dorothy Mulholland, Farragut Avenue, who is in training at McKinley Hospital, Trenton, N. J., has returned to the hospital from the Belleville, N. J., hospital, where she has been for a few months.

BROKEN ANKLE IMPROVES

Mrs. Viola Tolbert, West Bristol, is

about again after being confined to the house for several weeks suffering with a broken ankle which she sustained in a fall from a step ladder.

ON THE SCREENS

GRAND THEATRE

O. Henry's smiling desperado of the Old Southwest, the Cisco Kid, finds new adventure in Arizona and deadly danger in a beautiful senorita's eyes, as he returns to the screen in "The Cisco Kid and the Lady." This picture opens today at the Grand Theatre, with plenty of excitement, thrills, laughter and romance making it a rare screen treat.

Handsome Cesar Romero is the new Cisco and a more daring, romantic figure never roamed the Western badlands. Featured in the cast are Marjorie Weaver, Chris-Pin Martin, George Montgomery, Robert Barrat, Virginia Field and Harry Green. Herbert I. Leeds directed.

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BRISTOL THEATRE

Walter Wanger's new comedy ro-

Zasu Pitts, Broderick Crawford and Ralph Graves.

RITZ THEATRE

To the usual multiple problems of playing one's first motion picture role, Glenn Ford, the promising young stage recruit, found an added one.

Loretta Young and David Niven are the starring duo, and both of these top-notch actors turn in grand performances. The supporting cast is enhanced by such well-known performers as Billie Burke, Hugh Herbert,

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GRUNDY TEAM'S PASSING SYSTEM RESULTS IN WIN

Manhattan Soap Five Fails To Pass The Ball and Loses Game

FINAL SCORE IS 39 TO 36

Grundymen Fail, However, To Stop Manhattan's Scoring Offense

The Grundy passing system again proved itself last night on the Italian Mutual Aid court as the league-leaders scored a three-point win over the Manhattan Soap Company five, 39-36, in a thrilling contest.

The difference between victory and defeat was in the passing. During the last quarter, even though there was still plenty of time to play, the Manhattans forgot their passing attack and chose to try to arch in long shots.

However, all of these failed and as no one was under the basket at the time, the Grundymen always received possession of the sphere. When the soap workers did pass and worked the ball to the basket, the result in most instances was a goal.

The winners did fine passing and not many of their shots went to waste. Occasionally "Reds" Gallagher would slip in a field goal after doing a bit of dribbling, but this was to catch the Manhattans off-guard.

The Grundymen tried their best to stop the power of the Manhattan's scoring offense, "Punkie" Zeffries. But they failed on this end for Punkie was in a scoring mood and accounted for sixteen of his club's points and Nick Hufnell had eight.

Jesse Vanzant, besides his fine guarding, scored eight points for the winners while Zack and Gallagher had eleven and twelve, respectively.

In the first game of the night, the South Langhorne Shamrocks dropped its sixth straight game, losing to the Third Ward A. C., 30-15. This was a Bristol Suburban League tilt. The Shamrocks did not put in an appearance at starting time but their players all arrived before the first half was over.

Manhattan (36) F.G. FG FT Pts.
Zeffries f 7 2 5 16
Bartetta f 2 0 2 4
Mulligan f 0 1 1 1
Scholes c 1 0 0 1
Hufnell g 0 0 0 8
Gallagher g 1 1 2 3
Vitale g 1 0 0 3
..... 16 4 12 36

Grundy's (39) F.G. FG FT Pts.
Zack f 4 3 7 11
Gallagher f 6 0 6 12
Buckman c 1 0 0 1
Nowalinski g 3 0 0 4
Vanzant g 1 0 0 2
Burke g 1 0 0 2
..... 17 5 19 39

Score at half-time: Grundy, 29; Manhattan, 17. Referee: Morgan. Timer: Tentenius. Time of periods: 10 minutes. Scorer: McElroy.

ROHM & HAAS FIVE WINS FIFTH STRAIGHT GAME

BRISTOL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Results of last night:

Rohm & Haas, 42; Profy's, 39

Grundy's, 39; Manhattan, 36

Third Ward, 39; Shamrocks, 15

The Rohm and Haas Social Club basketball team won its fifth straight game of the Bristol Basketball League and strengthened its hold on second place by winning a close contest from the Profy five, 42-39, last night on the Italian Mutual Aid floor.

Twenty points by Ralph Cahall won the game for the chemical workers. Cahall, who was on the receiving end of many passes, played brilliantly. His work of getting the ball off the backboard of his opponents and also his follow-ups of his mates shots was outstanding and directly led to the triumph of his club.

Sharing the honors with Cahall was Johnny Cole. Cole sunk in the final pair of double-deckers for the winners and both came at the opportune moments when it seemed as if the radiomen could not be stopped. Cole also did much in the breaking up of the Profy passing attack.

Several times during the game, the Maple Beach aggregation seemed headed for victory by a large score but the Profymen would always rally and slice the leader's edge. Johnny Stavens' shooting kept the Mill Street clan in the game in the first half when he accounted for nine points. The score at half-time was even, 22-22.

The ultimate winners got their biggest margin in the third quarter when they scored a total of twelve points while Gus Carnvale scored his club's five points. The difference of the seven points in this session spelled doom for the Profy team.

It marked the fourth straight loss for the Profymen, a streak which dropped them from first place into a deadlock for fourth place.

Line-ups:

Rohm & Haas (42) F.G. FG FT Pts.
Cahall f 8 4 5 29
Cole f 3 1 2 7
Stavens c 2 1 1 7
Weideman g 1 1 1 4
Cole g 4 0 0 8
..... 18 6 8 42

Profy's (39) F.G. FG FT Pts.
Slaven f 5 1 1 11
Carnvale f 3 1 2 7
Hughes c 5 2 3 12
Profy g 2 0 1 4
Dorsey g 6 1 1 1
..... 17 5 8 39

Score at halftime: Rohm & Haas, 22; Profy, 22. Referee: Morgan. Timer: Tentenius. Time of periods: 10 minutes. Scorer: McElroy.

DEVER IS VICTOR

ATLANTIC CITY, Jan. 23.—Lenny Dever, Bristol lightweight, counted out a six-round decision over Tommy Burns, of Miami, last night. Dever received a slight cut over his eye in the sixth round.

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RANGER HEAD MAN By Jack Sord



SINCLAIR BOWLERS ROLL INTO 2ND PLACE

Sinclair rolled into second place in the Industrial Bowling League by taking all four points from Dot's Shisler was high with 550. Kempton, Jr., led Dot's with 524.

Coffey's, Junior team won three points from the Knights of Columbus, making high single team and high three-game of the second half. Carlin, of K. of C., made high individual score of 237.

Wilson Reserves won three points from Detweiler's. Rodgers hit 474 and Bilger 472.

Voltz Boys Club won four points by forfeit from Crossley's Cafe.

In a special match, the Bristol Recreation women defeated Doylestown men. Huckvale hit 489. Garvis was high with 549.

INDUSTRIAL LEAGUE

Dot's Luncheonette

McCoy 162 134—296
Norato 98 139 111—348
Kempton 184 153 187—522
Schmidt 146 138 126—450
Scheffey 117 149 172—438
Crothers 160 —160

720 679 743 2142

Sinclair
Kish 187 171 141—499
Watson 156 137 157—450
Vandenburg 110 142 155—407
Carlen 157 160 166—483
Shisher 175 183 192—550

785 814 811 2110

Coffey's, Jr.
Mazzillo 180 182 118—480
Buccardo 136 134 144—414
Bills 178 166 156—500
Tasik 191 177 198—566
Kondyra 198 187 187—522

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893 886 753 2532

K. of C.
McCurry 183 181 140—504
Gavegan 148 —118
McGee 121 161—282
Lamon 173 122 295
Ciotti 164 170—334
Carlin 237 138 183—558

160 121—281

878 749 797 2424

Wilson's
Rodgers 149 187 138—474
Shields 122 151—275
Margiotti 173 139 130—442

Naylor 155 155 149—450
Settelen 139 152 151—442
Rago 112 —112

738 755 719 2312

Detweiler's
W. Miller 142 143 146—431
Worthington 163 108 176—387
D. Miller 114 96 120—330

Harding 155 147 140—442
Bilger 106 128 138—472

24 24

643 646 744 2037

Voltz Boys Club
P. Fanini 146 143 162—451
Krames 150 94 136 380

J. Fanini 177 179 145—501
A. Buccardo 130 160 154—442

Blind 100 100 100—300

703 676 697 2076

SPECIAL MATCH

Bristol Rec. Girls

D. Keers 147 132 153—432
E. Huckvale 127 167 195—489
S. O'Boyle 122 183 167—472

J. Hubbard 150 145 187—482
C. Keers 171 158 137—466

717 785 839 2341

Doylestown Men

C. Martendell 148 175 111—434

E. Walters 167 114 154—435

W. Walters 113 137 122—382

B. Tomlinson 140 138 159—437

R. Garis 171 188 190—549

739 752 736 2227

fit was used but failed and the city faced a shortage. But a new method was used and the water supply, unlike that in Japan is safe.

The state produced over a million tons of coal last year. In reserves, newly built transport facilities, and nearness to important industrial centers, Chungking's surrounding coal deposits are excellent. Some 300 coal mines are located on one of two river basins. Five mines are excellently equipped.

Many experts agree that Chungking will become the center for west China's heavy industries . . . These experts include hundreds of American-trained Chinese business men and technicians, heartened by the desire of Chinese financiers to invest in this newly opened country, on a scale not before associated with Szechuan.

Cotton spinning, weaving and embroidery establishments are flourishing and new ones building, with 15,000 spinning machines operating in the new province turning out cotton yarn.

Airlines connect all important areas of free China. Mail operates fairly regularly. It is not uncommon, and probably a great surprise to the Japanese to know that mail is received and dispatched, not only in and out of Chungking but in all other large cities, direct into the Japanese occupied areas. Mailmen have portable post offices on donkeys and move near to the Japanese lines, do their work and by devious means the mail gets through. Mail communication with Peiping, despite its Japanese control, is improving.

If the Chinese were once fighting among themselves, they are now united. More so in the past year than ever and this is true since September 1 than at any time during hostilities. If Japan thinks Chungking has backsliders and pessimists, such a view is a mistake.

The pioneer and frontier spirit prevails.

A Chinese business man remarked: "We may as well try. We could never live under Japan's military misrule. Japan has united us. They will not capture Chungking. If they did, we would only move on. Our fighting spirit is better than any Chinese realized before the war. We are enjoying it now after more than two years of resistance and bombing."

**Walter T. Baker Dies
At His Yardley Home**

Continued from Page One

The Rev. Francis C. Thomas, pastor of Yardley Methodist Church, will be in charge of the services, and interment is to be in the Wrightstown Friends Burying Ground.

Mr. Blaker is survived by his widow, Estelle Worthington Blaker; a daughter, Ida M. Blaker, and two sons,

LEGAL

NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Bucks County

To Joseph Clunn, Esq., or his legal representatives or whoever may be the holder or holders of the mortgage hereinabove mentioned:

Notice is hereby given, that on January 15, 1940, Louis Antonelli of Philadelphia, attorney for the wife, petitioned the said Court, setting forth that they owned a certain lot or piece of land in Bristol Borough, Bucks County, described in said petition, to which she was entitled, and that the same was widowed by deed dated April 23, 1935, recorded in the Bucks County Recorder's Office, in Deed Book No. 638, page 493, that larger tract in Bristol Borough containing said lot or piece of land, more or less, including their tract, as fully described in said petition, was encumbered by a mortgage for Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars due April 1, 1935, given April 1, 1935, to John J. Slavin, of Philadelphia, and that there is no satisfaction thereof record, and that a period of twenty-one years has elapsed since all the principal of said mortgage became due, but no payment of principal or interest has been made within said period.

Wherefore, you are hereby notified to appear in said Court, on Tuesday, February 13, 1940, at ten o'clock, and to show cause why the same should not be entered discharging the mortgaged premises from said lien and directing that satisfaction thereof be entered upon the record of said mortgage, and that all actions brought to or brought against be barred.

WILLIAM L. STACKHOUSE,
Sheriff,
WILLIAM H. CONCA, Esq.,
Attorney for Petitioners,
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Mr. Blaker, a retired railroad employee, was an active member of Yardley P. O. S. of A.

Announcements have been received his home by illness. Francis Smith fell at his home on the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Delany, Moorestown, N. J., on Pennsylvania Avenue, Friday night, breaking his leg just below the hip.

Mr. Smith broke his leg just a year ago in a similar fall.